

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
EASTERN DIVISION**MARCH 3, 2008**  
MICHAEL W. DOBBINS  
CLERK, U.S. DISTRICT COURT

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| Plaintiff,                          | ) |                           |
|                                     | ) | No. 08 C 165              |
| v.                                  | ) |                           |
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|                                     | ) | Judge Robert W. Gettleman |
| <b>Smart Mortgage Centers, Inc.</b> | ) |                           |
|                                     | ) |                           |
| Defendant.                          | ) |                           |

ORDER SETTING INITIAL STATUS REPORT  
FOR CASES ASSIGNED TO  
JUDGE GETTLEMAN

This case has been assigned to the calendar of Judge Robert W. Gettleman. To assist the court in acquiring the requisite knowledge of the case, it is hereby ordered:

1. Counsel and any unrepresented party should obtain a copy of Judge Gettleman's Revised Standing Order Regarding Motion Practice, Briefs and Protective Orders in Civil Cases, which is available in chambers or on the court website ([www.ilnd.uscourts.gov](http://www.ilnd.uscourts.gov)).

2. Counsel are to confer, prepare and file in chambers one original and one copy of a brief, joint<sup>1</sup> status report, not to exceed five pages on or before **March 24, 2008**. If defendant's counsel has not yet filed an appearance, the status report should be prepared by plaintiff's counsel. The report shall contain a full caption showing all parties and shall provide the following information in the order set forth below in the following format:

A. The date and time this matter is set for a status report before the Court.

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<sup>1</sup>There should be no reason why a joint status report cannot be prepared. If the parties disagree on any issue, such disagreement should be noted in the report.